

Kansas Maternal Mortality Review

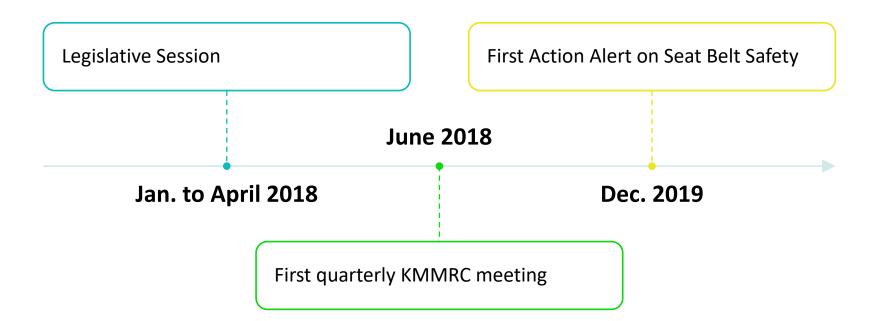
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Overview

History





Purpose/Mission/Vision

The combined purpose, mission and vision of the Kansas MMRC is to review maternal mortality cases closely to understand all medical and social factors leading to these tragic events. We do this work proudly to help eliminate all preventable maternal deaths in Kansas.



Membership





MULTIDISCIPLINARY

GEOGRAPHICALLY DIVERSE



APPLICATION, NOMINATION & TERMS



CONFIDENTIALITY



DUTIES





Leadership

Chair Co-Chair Leadership Team





Subcommittee



A partnership between Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE), Kansas Coalition Against Sexual and Domestic Violence (KCSDV), Kansas Connecting Communities (KCC), Kansas Perinatal Quality Collaborative (KPQC) and Kansas Maternal Mortality Review Committee (KMMRC) to reduce maternal deaths in Kansas due to homicide and suicide.



















KMMRC Process

Definitions

A pregnancy-associated death refers to the death of a woman while pregnant or anytime within one year of pregnancy regardless of cause.1

- Pregnancy-Related Death. The death of a woman during pregnancy or within one year of the end of pregnancy from a pregnancy complication, a chain of events initiated by pregnancy or the aggravation of an unrelated condition by the physiologic effects of pregnancy.
- Pregnancy-Associated, but Not-Related Death. The death of a woman during pregnancy or within one year of the end of pregnancy from a cause that is not related to pregnancy.
- Pregnancy-Associated but Unable to Determine Pregnancy Relatedness. The death of a woman while pregnant or within one year of pregnancy, due to a cause that could not be determined to be pregnancy-related or not pregnancy-related.







Procedure

- 1. Gather
- 2. Review
- 3. Recommend



Key Initiatives



BEST PRACTICES FOR VEHICLE SAFETY



EDUCATION AND AWARENESS OF PREECLAMPSIA



KANSAS PERINATAL QUALITY COLLABORATIVE



FOURTH TRIMESTER INITIATIVE







Future Directions





Questions??